

**UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
OFFICE OF SPECIAL EDUCATION AND REHABILITATIVE SERVICES
REHABILITATION SERVICES ADMINISTRATION
WASHINGTON, DC 20202**

**POLICY DIRECTIVE
RSA-PD-97-01
RSM-501**

DATE : **February 12, 1997**

ADDRESSEES : **STATE VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION AGENCIES
(GENERAL)
STATE VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION AGENCIES (BLIND)
STATE REHABILITATION ADVISORY COUNCILS
CLIENT ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS
RSA SENIOR MANAGEMENT TEAM**

SUBJECT : **State Plan for the State Vocational Rehabilitation Services Program
under Title I, Part B and State Plan Supplement for the State
Supported Employment Services Program under Title VI, Part C of
the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as Amended - Fiscal Years 1998-2000**

POLICY STATEMENT: This transmits the preprint and instructions for the completion and
submittal of the State plan for the State Vocational Rehabilitation
Services Program under title I, part B of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973,
as amended, (Act) and the State plan supplement for the State Supported
Employment Services Program under title VI, part C of the Act for fiscal
years 1998-2000.

For a State to receive Federal funds under title I of the Act for its
vocational rehabilitation program and under title VI, part C for its
supported employment program, it must have its State plan and
supplement approved by the Rehabilitation Services Administration
(RSA) by September 30, 1997.

If the State plan and its supplement are subject to the State review
process, RSA approval of the plan and its supplement is contingent on
the receipt of comments from the review process, or the passage of at
least 60 days from the date of submittal of the plan to the State review
process.

The title I State plan and its title VI, part C supplement are to be
submitted to RSA by July 1, 1997.

CITATIONS IN LAW : Sections 101 and 635 of the Rehabilitation Act ,of 1973, as amended

**CITATIONS IN
REGULATIONS** : 34 CFR Parts 74, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 85, 361 and 363.

EFFECTIVE DATE : Upon Issuance

EXPIRATION DATE : September 30, 2000

INQUIRIES : RSA Regional Offices

Fredric K. Schroeder
Commissioner